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CIRCUIT COURT CULLINGS.

Another Special Judge on the Bench Yesterday.

JUDGE JOE MCCARROLL.

Two Negro Homicides Tried and Result in Acquittals.

The regular judge was again absent yesterday and Judge Joe McCarroll was agreed upon as special judge in the cases for yesterday.

The jury in the case of "Tissue Paper" Jack Hardison, col., charged with the murder of Charles Johnson, another negro, at a festival near Empire, in 1903, brought in a verdict Tuesday afternoon, finding the prisoner not guilty. Hardison had been in jail here since his arrest in Illinois about a year ago. His home is in Nashville, but he is still in this city.

The case of the commonwealth against Columbus Pepper, col., under indictment for manslaughter, in killing his brother, Push Pepper, with a shovel, one mile East of the city, several months, was tried Tuesday. A verdict of not guilty was returned in the afternoon, under peremptory instructions from the court.

John Hargraves and Ernest O'Neal, colored boys charged with stealing from a common carrier, were acquitted. The indictments against Ida Wright and John Campbell, charging a similar offense, were dismissed and the cases stricken from the docket.

The case of Hayden Hearn, charged with grand larceny in extracting \$140 from W. R. Long's safe, was given to the jury yesterday morning, and a verdict returned at 4 o'clock finding him \$100.

The case of Jim Dawson, charged with malicious shooting Jim Lacy, another negro boy, near Newstead, was tried yesterday afternoon. Fined \$100.

Mrs. Ada Veach was granted a divorce from C. S. Veach. Mrs. F. E. West was also granted a legal separation from J. R. West.

ANOTHER GUN PLAY.

Shot Gun Seems to Have Superseded the Razor.

The shot gun seems to have superseded the razor as a weapon among the colored population. Monday afternoon one negro shot another with a gun on Seventh street and now information comes that another shooting occurred in Santo Domingo, just east of the city, in which the party who fired the shot used a gun. It appears that Wiley Caudle and Lewis Pendleton had some trouble and as a result Caudle was filled with lead. Several shot entered his head, his jaw also receiving a portion of the load and his hands and arms were peppered. Caudle came to the city and had his wounds dressed. He was not very badly hurt, and was able to be out yesterday. No arrests have been made.

DEAF AND DUMB

Couple Married in North Christian Last Week.

Willie Thompson and Miss Mary Lock, a deaf and dumb couple of North Christian county were united in marriage last week. Rev Bilbro officiating. We do not know just how Bro. Bilbro managed to communicate the ceremony, but where there is a will there's a way.—Hustler.

KUROPATKIN RETURNS TO THE FRONT.

To Fight as a Subordinate Officer Under His Rival, Linevich.

OLD HERO CHEERED.

The Retreat to Harbin Is Proceeding Without Much Fighting.

Gen. Kuropatkin's expressed willingness to accept a subordinate command in the Russian army has been accepted as sincere by the Emperor and he has been ordered to take command of the first army, which formerly was directed by Gen. Linevich. Upon the departure of Gen. Kuropatkin from Harbin to return to the scene of war he was accorded a great ovation by soldiers and citizens. The retreat of the Russian army according to the dispatches from St. Petersburg is uneventful and there is no news of fighting anywhere. The Russians are destroying the bridges, and doing everything possible to retard the pursuit of the Japanese.

Gen. Linevich's headquarters has been established for the present at Chenchawatzu, situated at the crossing of the Sungara river, whence he is directing the retreat of the three armies and disposing of the fresh troops of the Fourth corps just arrived from European Russia. The protection of the Sungari bridge is vital to the salvation of the army as the river is not fordable below Kirin and once the line of the river is passed and the bridge blown up the Japanese pursuit will be effectually checked.

JOHNSON STILL ALIVE.

The Victim of Bob Martin's Pistol May Get Well.

John Johnson, the negro shot by Bob Martin, on Seventh street Monday afternoon is still alive. He is in the county jail and the man who did the shooting is in another cell not far away. They were in George Diuguid's pool room and Johnson, who is from Madisonville, got into a dispute with the boy who was in charge. Martin says he suggested that if Johnson couldn't observe the rules of the house he should quit playing, and that Johnson cursed him and fired at him with a pistol. Martin then picked up a shotgun and shot at Johnson, but missed him. Johnson was escaping down the steps he shot the other barrel, the load striking him in the back. Johnson fell on the pavement, and was soon after removed to the jail. The shot lodged in his right lung but he may pull through. Johnson denies that he shot at Martin with a pistol. His pistol was picked up where he fell and one chamber was empty. It was a cheap 32-calibre weapon.

WEDDING TO-DAY.

Haley's Mill Couple Will Wed at Noon.

Mr. J. H. Manahan, a young farmer of Haley's Mill, and Miss Blanche Moseley, daughter of Mr. Tobias Moseley, of the same neighborhood, will be married to-day. Esq. J. M. Clark, of near Crofton, will tie the nuptial knot.

Fire Alarm.

The fire department was called to the Rock Bridge Stearns yesterday afternoon, operated by J. W. Adams & Co. The fire had been controlled with buckets when the department arrived. The damage was of no consequence.

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COUNTY POLITICS

Is Beginning to Be Discussed "Right Smart."

The Democratic County Committee will meet on the third of April to consider the nomination of a county ticket. As the time draws near, there is considerable discussion going on and it is evident that there will be some good material from which to make up the ticket ten days hence.

Among those who are being discussed for the various offices are the following well known Democrats:

COUNTY JUDGE,

Buckner Leavell, C. H. Bush, L. O. Garrett, J. F. Dixon.

COUNTY ATTORNEY,

Larkin T. Brasher, J. T. Hanberry, Frank Rives, Douglas Bell.

COUNTY CLERK,

David Smith will have no opposition.

SHERIFF,

T. J. Jameson, J. E. Moseley, Marlow Johnson.

JAILER,

J. G. Childress, Lee King, J. G. Torian, L. L. Nicholls.

ASSESSOR,

Several of the same men mentioned above.

It is probable that two or three places on the ticket, including superintendent and representative, may be left vacant.

The sub-committee having in hand the preparation of a ticket to submit to the whole committee will probably meet before the end of this week. It is composed of Chairman Jas. West, W. H. Martin, W. A. Radford, Lucian Harris and Hunter Wood, Jr.

LEASED MESSENGER.

Ed Lawson Takes Charge of Republican Paper.

Mr. Ed Lawson, formerly with the New Era, has leased the Hopkinsville Messenger, and took charge this week. Mr. McDonald, who came here from Princeton and conducted the paper for several weeks, will shortly begin the publication of a Republican paper at Madisonville.

BOB PAYNE

Brings Home a Pretty Bride From Jackson, Tenn.

Mr. Robt. C. Payne, of Jackson, Tenn., formerly Captain of Co. D, in this city, was married March 15, at Jackson, to Miss Nettie May Snyder, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Snyder. It was a home wedding and was a pleasant surprise to the friends of the young couple. Mr. Payne came with his bride to this city, on a visit to his mother, and is still here receiving the congratulations of his friends. From here they will go to St. Louis before returning home. Mr. Payne is an employee of the Illinois Central Railroad and has formed many friendships in his new home. His bride is a young lady of many attractions and graces of person. Her beauty is of the rich brunette type.

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MISSOURI MAN AT TOKIO.

Capt. Pershing, Military Attaché, First Won Attention in Philippines Fighting.

St. Louis—Capt. John J. Pershing, of the Fifteenth Cavalry, who has just been appointed military attaché at Tokio to succeed Lieut. Col. Wood, is a Missourian by birth and is regarded as one of the most promising of the younger men in the army.

Capt. Pershing was born in Missouri September 13, 1860. He was educated in the public schools of his native town and when 22 years of age he was appointed a cadet at West Point. On his graduation from the military academy in 1882 he was appointed second lieutenant of the Sixth Cavalry. From that rank he rose steadily to his present position.

At the outbreak of the Spanish-American



CAPTAIN JOHN PERSHING.
(Missouri Man Whose Military Career Has Been Meteoric.)

war he was appointed major and chief ordnance officer of volunteers, being mustered out as such May 12, 1899. He was appointed major and assistant adjutant general of volunteers June 6, 1899. On February 2, 1900, he was promoted to the captaincy of the First Cavalry. He was later transferred from the First to the Fifteenth Cavalry as captain, and August 20, 1901, he was detailed as a member of the general staff of the army.

Several years ago Capt. Pershing was detailed as military instructor at the University of Nebraska at Lincoln and during his service at the capital of Nebraska, he moved in the highest social circles and was a society favorite.

Public attention was first attracted to Capt. Pershing by his daring deeds in the Philippines. He was in command of the expedition against the Moros several years ago and the newspapers were full of his exploits in that campaign. Next to Gen. Funston, no officer who took part in the campaign in the Orient attained greater distinction or became in the estimation of the public a greater hero than he.

Capt. Pershing's appointment as military attaché at Tokio was made because of his peculiar qualifications for the post. He is not only a courageous and successful fighter, but a student of the science of war as well.

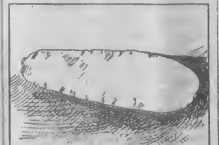
FIND AN ANCIENT SHOVEL.

Discovery of Stone Trowel Brings to Light Work of the Mound Builders.

Granite City, Ill.—Workmen grading a road through the edge of a mound on the Roland stock and dairy farm, five miles east of here, found a stone implement, which, it is believed, was used by the mound builders as a shovel.

Of light gray granite, the blade is 16 inches long, five and one-half inches at the broadest point, and tapers to two inches at the upper end. That it has been put to much use is evident, because it has been worn smooth and sharp at the lower end.

The implement, which is much larger than the average tool supposed to have



ANCIENT GRANITE SHOVEL.
(Instrument Discovered Intact Near Illinois Town.)

been used by this race, was taken from a mound 700 feet long, 150 feet wide and 25 feet high, just south of a crescent-shaped lake, while north is another mound and an artificial lake. The excavations were made, it is believed, to secure material with which to build the mound.

The peculiar-shaped tool is owned by T. G. Watts, a real estate agent, who believes that he has a valuable relic. Mr. Watts purposes sending the shovel to the Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D. C.

Count Tessa Resigns.

Emperor Francis Joseph received in audience in Buda Pesth Count Tessa, Hungary's premier, at Vienna. The latter handed his majesty the resignation of the Hungarian cabinet. The emperor has summoned Count Julius Andrássy, one of the foremost opposition leaders, to Vienna.

Complete returns from the recent elections show that the Kossovitchs head the poll with 169 members of the new parliament. The liberals have 151 members, the dissident liberals, 27; people's party, 24; Banfylites, 13; Independents, 10 and nationalists, 8. Second ballots will be necessary in 14 constituencies.

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Time Table.

NO. 332—DAILY.

Leave Hopkinsville	6:40 a.m.
Arrive Princeton	7:20 a.m.
" Paducah	9:25 a.m.
" Cairo	11:35 a.m.
" St. Louis	4:10 p.m.
" Chicago	10:50 p.m.

NO. 334—DAILY.

Leave Hopkinsville	11:20 a.m.
Arrive Princeton	12:25 p.m.
" Evansville	6:25 p.m.
Leave Princeton	12:30 p.m.
Arrive Louisville	5:35 p.m.
Leave Princeton	2:45 p.m.
Arrive Paducah	4:15 p.m.
" Memphis	10:50 p.m.
" New Orleans	10:40 a.m.

NO. 340—DAILY.

Leave Hopkinsville	4:30 p.m.
Arrive Princeton	6:30 p.m.
Leave Princeton	2:57 a.m.
" Louisville	7:50 a.m.
" Princeton	2:35 a.m.
Arrive Memphis	8:20 a.m.
" New Orleans	11:25 p.m.

No. 341, Daily, arrives... 9:40 a.m.
No. 333, Daily, arrives... 3:50 p.m.
No. 351, Daily, arrives... 11:25 p.m.

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DEAD CAPTAIN OF THE CLUB REMEMBERED.

The Hunters Meet and Adopt Suitable Resolution.

SKETCH OF THE CLUB.

An Organization That Has Been in Existence For 60 Years.

More than 60 years ago there was organized "The Christian County Hunting Club."

Among its members were such names as Messrs. A. Gabe Long, Jesse McComb, Dudley Jeffries, M. J. Thomas, Elijah Cravens and others.

In those days deer and turkey were plentiful. The camp and hunt was located north of Hopkinsville in what is known as the "Pond River" country. Taking horses, wagons, dogs and servants, they were generally gone two to three weeks, returning with from thirty to forty deer. They were woodsmen and marksmen, using the Long Rifles or muzzle loading shot-guns. As the years crept on and these pioneers went with them, the ranks were recruited, and we find such names as S. R. White, J. R. Caudle, Jas. A. Parish, P. J. Glass, Austin Peay, Wm. Cravens, Wm. West, John Dudley and Lyman McComb, Otho Graves and others.

Game becoming scarce near home, they then went into what is known as the "Coaling," between the Cumberland and Tennessee Rivers, Dan Hillman and other Trigg county sportsmen hunting with them.

After some years game becoming scarce there, they went into Southern Ill. As older members passed new ones were adding. We find Jarrett, Walker Williams, Pendleton, Lowry, Buckner, Burke, Ware, Radford, Norton, Barker, Dalton, Lee and Cooper, (of Clarksville), and others. Very often there were invited guests. In all the changing years the membership was made by ballot, after proper recommendation. It was the aim and history of the club to have only true sportsmen, congenial and unselfish, jolly good fellows. The main requirement for membership was that the member should be a gentleman and I do not believe they ever made a mistake.

It later years the hunts were in Mississippi and Arkansas. Taking guns, dogs and wagons on special train to Memphis, and from there by boat to the place chosen. They generally spent three weeks from home, always starting after election day in November. Success varied, but they generally killed from thirty to forty deer, numbers of wild fowl and always had fine fishing. A jollyer more congenial set never lived a horn nor followed the hounds.

Their comradeship is kept up during the year by social visits, barbecues, attention to the sick or needy, and also too often they are called to put away some kind and true huntsman who leaves us forever. As the deer became scarce so do the old time huntsmen.

On the 9th day of March just past, at the signal call to rally, we were called to put away our last captain, the Nestor of the Hunt; for nearly fifty years he had led us.

At a called meeting of some ten, about all the remaining club, Lyman McComb was called to the chair; W. A. Glass was chosen Sec'y. The following resolutions of condolence and sympathy were passed:

"Whereas, In the death of Capt. S. R. White, this club has lost its oldest and most honored member.

"Resolved, That we bow in submission to an all wise Providence We will cherish his memory and virtues and will always remember his kind guardianship over our club.

To his family we wish to express our sympathy, with the belief and hope that the good God will do all things well for them.

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J. R. Caudle,
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Linevitch's Task.

St. Petersburg, March 20.—No person here minimizes the task confided to Gen. Linevitch of withdrawing what is left of the army of 450,000 men to Harbin. He is hemmed in on all sides. Gen. Kawamura presumably is pressing northward through the mountains to the eastward. Gens. Nogi and Oku are on the west of the Russian forces, the whole line of the railroad is threatened if not already cut, and Chinese bandits are even reported to be in the rear of Harbin. Napoleon's plight in the retreat from Moscow was hardly as bad.

The question of ammunition and food is also vital, as it is known that the Russians were compelled to burn further stores at Tie Pass when the new retreat of the half-famished troops were ordered.

Even in the face of the possibility of the complete loss of the army and the admitted fact that Vladivostok is already possibly lost, the Emperor still shows no signs of yielding. Another army of 50,000 men is to be dispatched to the Far East and in order to avoid delays the new army will be made up largely of regulars, leaving the reserve on garrison duty at home.

The war council has definitely decided that Vice Admiral Rojestvensky shall continue his voyage and give battle to the Japanese in the northern hope of wresting control of the sea from Admiral Togo.

Probably no other general in the Far East so fitted to succeed Kuropatkin as Gen. Linevitch. In the battles at Mukden and Tie Pass he has been the most successful of any of his fellow officers and has practically scored all of the few points that the Russian army has won.

Like Kuropatkin, he is the idol of the soldiers because of his solicitude for their welfare.

UNCOMMON WISDOM.

Some Hopkinsville People Profit By Neighbor's Experience.

It's a wise man who profits by the experience of his friends and neighbors. Here is a chance to do it and every man, woman or child in Hopkinsville who knows the misery of a bad back, the nervousness and restlessness caused by kidney complaint or the annoyance of urinary disorders will show uncommon wisdom to profit by this citizen's advice.

J. W. Pritchett retired grocer of 732 East 7th St., says: My back has given me more trouble of trouble. The pain was not continually severe, but came on by intermittent spells, which were sometimes very painful especially after over-exertion of any kind. Being constantly on the outlook for something to relieve me, I happened to read of Doan's Kidney Pills, and was so impressed with the testimonials as to their worth, that I procured a box at Thomas & Trahern's drug store. The pills benefited me every way and I hope that my endorsement will be the means of extending relief to some other sufferer."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c. Foster-McMillan Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States. Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Being Stamped Out.

Cadiz, Ky., March 19.—The small-pox situation in the county is much improved and the indications are that the county will be clear of the disease in a very short time. Only one new case was reported this week and that is a negro. In the Northern part of the county, where the disease has been the worst, there are only a very few cases, and they are expected to be dismissed in a few days.

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Death at Confederate Home.

Pewee Valley, Ky., March 18. John Blazer, an inmate of the Confederate Home, died this morning from the effects of old age. Mr. Blazer came to the home from South Union, Ky., in December, 1902. He was born in France in 1827, and served throughout the war as a private in the Tenth Tennessee Infantry. The remains will be buried in the home cemetery.

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Oyama's Strategy a Copy.

The Japanese strategy at Tie Pass was a copy of that employed by Gen. Joshua when he captured the city of Ai.

Choosing 36,000 mighty men of valor he ordered them to take up a position behind the city, under cover of the darkness. He himself, with the rest of his army, made a frontal attack, drew the enemy out and then gave an order to retreat as if in disorder. The King of Ai wist not that there were 40,000 men behind the city. So he pursued the fleeing Israelites with all his forces and left the fortifications of the city unprotected. At a signal agreed upon the mighty men of valor rose up, entered the city and set it on fire. Whereupon Gen. Joshua faced about and the men of Ai were caught front and rear, with no power to flee this way or that. The official report of the battle relates that Joshua drew not his hand back until the army of Ai was totally destroyed. The king he took alive and hanged him on a tree until eventide.

Reports from Tie Pass indicate exactly this strategy, and it appears that even the details of the battle were very similar to those of the battle of Ai.

However, if Gen. Kuropatkin is taken alive, Gen. Oyama will not hang him on a tree. The parallels will not go that far. Instead he will invite the fallen warrior to his tent to take part with Nogi, Kuroki and himself.—Post-Dispatch.

"A dose in time saves lives." Dr. Wood's Great Peppermint Cure, a remedy for coughs, colds, pulmonary diseases of every sort.

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\$33 every day, until May 15, 1905, from Chicago to many points in California, Oregon and Washington, via the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway.

\$14 every Tuesday, during March and April, from Chicago to nearly all points in North and South Dakota and to many points in Minnesota.

Home-seekers' tickets to points in the Northwest will be on sale every Tuesday, during March and April, at one fare for the round trip plus two dollars—greater inducements in way of low rates to the Northwest have never before been offered. If you ever intend going there, go now. See your nearest ticket agent today, or address Geo. B. Haynes, Traveling Passenger Agent, Chicago, Ill. Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, 95 Adams Street, Chicago.

A household necessity—Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil. Heals burns, cuts, wounds of any sort; cures sore throat, croup, catarrh, asthma; never fails.

The Review of Reviews.

One of the most interesting figures of American public life to-day is Governor La Follette, of Wisconsin, who has recently been elected to the United States Senate. The whole country will be interested in reading Mr. Walter Wellman's graphic account of "The Rise of La Follette," which appears in the March number of the Review of Reviews. In the same magazine Mr. Charles Baldwin Cheney tells the story of the recent political movements in the Northwest, including especially those for primary reform and railroad taxation, with which Governor La Follette has been closely identified.

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Secures Rhodes Scholarship.

William Henry Branham, of Scott county, was awarded the Cecil Rhodes scholarship entitling him to a three years' course in the Oxford, England, College, and a meeting of the board will be held next Wednesday to ratify the successful examination of young Branham. The examination was held at the State College, Lexington, January 15. Six applicants took the examination, Branham being the only one who passed.

Three Days to California.

This is the fast time between Chicago and San Francisco made by the Overland Limited. Leaves Union Passenger Station, Chicago, 6:55 a.m., arrives San Francisco the third day in time for dinner. Route—Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railway, Union Pacific and Southern Pacific line.

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MARCH 23, 1936.

The Weather.

Washington, D. C., March 22.—
For Kentucky: Unsettled, with
probable showers Thursday. Rising
temperature.

Russell Sage is critically ill at his
home in New York.

Tuesday was the Vernal Equinox
and Spring is here according to the
almanac.

More than 32,000 immigrants are
scheduled to arrive in New York this
week from European ports.

Jackson, Tenn. stands ready to get
in the K. I. T. League, if Hopkins-
ville drops out.

James Polk Thompson, who was
editor and part proprietor of the old
Paducah News, died suddenly in
that city Wednesday morning.

Horace G. Burt, former president
of the Union Pacific, has been offered
the \$100,000 a year task of directing
the work on the Panama Canal.

The decrees of fashion have
brought the "hourglass" figure for
women into the foreground. It is
all the rage.

Secretary Hay's recent fainting
spell is believed to indicate a general
failure of health. Secretary of
War Taft is in training to succeed
him.

Gov. Miasorodoff, of Viborg, Rus-
sia, was shot by a boy revolutionist
only fifteen years old, who obtained
entrance to his office. The Governor
was seriously wounded, but may re-
cover.

Mrs. J. C. W. Beckham, wife of
the governor, Tuesday morning gave
birth to a son at the Norton Infirmary
in Louisville. The child was
named for his father. Their oldest
child is a girl about three years of
age.

The battle of Mukden will go
down in history as the bloodiest ever
fought. The Russians estimate the
Japanese loss at 100,000 and report
their own at 120,000. The Japanese
admit 70,000 and estimate the Rus-
sian losses at 150,000.

The April Cosmopolitan contains
an unusually large proportion of
noted names in literature. The con-
tributors include Israel Zangwill, Al-
fred Henry Lewis, David Graham
Phillips, Arthur Symonds, Gert Bur-
ges, Poulton Bigelow, Maxim Gor-
sky, Charles Wagner, Cyrus Toun-
send Brady, George Hibbard, Edna
Kenton and Herbert Quick. This
brilliant array places the issue, sec-
ond to none in interest and merit of
the magazines of the month.

Washouts in Southern California
delayed railroad traffic for five days
and the passengers suffered many
discomforts. In the drawing room
of one of the sleepers of the delayed
south-bound "Owl" train Mrs. Car-
ruthers, wife of a Los Angeles civil
engineer, who was on her way from
San Francisco, gave birth to twins.
She was attended by two physicians,
who happened to be among the pas-
sengers.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, I, as
Lucas County.
Frank J. Cheney makes oath that
he is senior partner of the firm of
F. J. Cheney & Co., doing business
in the city of Toledo, county and
state aforesaid, and that the said
firm will pay the sum of one hun-
dred dollars for each and every case
of catarrh that cannot be cured by
the use of Hall's Catarrh Cure.

Sworn to before me and subscribed
in my presence, this 6th day of De-
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alterative and tonic substances and
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eruptions, relieving weak, tired,
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Hood's Sarsaparilla

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no other medicine has done so
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"I was troubled with eruptions and some
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could not see to do anything. After taking
two bottles of Hood's Sarsaparilla I could see
to walk, and when I had taken eight bottles I
could see as well as ever." BENJ. A. HAN-
COCK, Wilkes, N. C.

Hood's Sarsaparilla promises to
cure and keeps the promise.

HERE AND THERE.

Eugene Thacker, son of Mr. J. L.
Thacker, of Lafayette, who has been
very ill, is now much better and he
is considered out of danger.

Ham sacks for sale at this office.

Drs. Oldham, osteopaths, 705 S. Clay.
Dr. E. N. Fruit, Dentist, office
over City Bank, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Now is the time to sack your
hams. Sacks for sale at this office.

Don't buy a bed until you see the
Kentucky Portable Bed at Pyle &
Smithson's.

Two red Shorthorn bull calves,
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D. No. 1.

You want a folding bed that's
easy to handle, handsome, clean, safe
and durable? Look at the Kentucky
Portable Bed at Pyle & Smithson's
furniture store.

Thieves broke into the district
school building at Gracey Wednes-
day night and stole the teacher's
clock, the water bucket, dipper and
other articles. The school is being
taught by Mrs. Libby.

Vogel's Minstrels played Tuesday
night to a full house and lived up to
the claim that the company is one of
the very best burnt cork aggrega-
tions on the road.

Editor T. C. Underwood's little
son, Thomas, is quite a case of pneu-
monia. He was reported to be
slightly improved yesterday after-
noon.

Try Osteopathy for curvature and
deformities of all kinds. No braces,
no casts; cure is permanent because
the muscles are strengthened and a
good blood and nerve supply secured
to the weakened parts. See Doctor
Oldham, graduates under the foun-
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WHEAT—OPEN	HIGH	LOW	CLOSE
May . . . 115 1/2	115 1/2	114 1/2	114 1/2
July . . . 92 1/2	93	91 1/2	91 1/2

CORN—

May . . . 48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
July . . . 49	49 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2

OATS—

May . . . 31 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
July . . . 30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2

BIG TIMBER DEAL.

Hopkins County Man Buys
North Christian Land.

Mr. John B. Brasher, of Mad-
isonville, who was here a few days
ago, purchased about 2,000 acres of
timbered land in North Christian.
The land is situated on Pond river.

New Chairman.

Chairman George B. Cortelyou has
announced the appointment of
Harry S. New, of Indiana, as vice
chairman of the National Republican
Committee. Upon Mr. Cortelyou's
resignation, which will follow in a
few days, Mr. New will become act-
ing chairman of the committee.

Services Sunday Night.

Father Walsh, of the Catholic
church of this city, will preach at
the Universalist church Sunday
night at 7:30 o'clock.

Ayer's Pills

Want your moustache or beard
a beautiful brown or rich black? Use

PERSONAL GOSSIP.

Mrs. J. P. Nuckols is visiting in
Madisonville.

Hon. W. D. Orr, of Madisonville,
was in town yesterday.

Miss Edith Williams is visiting
friends in Clarksville.

Miss Lucile Bush has returned
from a visit to friends in Mont-
gomery county, Tenn.

Mr. Leslie P. Pool has gone to
Oklahoma City, with a view of lo-
cating.

Mr. W. H. Sloan, of Sloan's K. P.
Weekly, published in Nashville, was
in the city this week on business.

Mr. W. H. Cummings, Sr., who
spent several days with his son here,
has returned to New York.

Mr. Eli Adams, of Church Hill,
went to Louisville Tuesday to buy
more goods for his father, Mr. J. M.
Adams.

Mr. W. C. Stevens, the Sinking
Fork merchant, has been in Louis-
ville several days buying spring
goods.

Mrs. Mable Page, of Elkton, who
spent several days with friends and
relatives here, went to Central City
yesterday to visit.

Mrs. W. B. Smith, of Atlanta, Ga.,
is here on a visit to her parents,
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Price, and will
remain several weeks.

Dr. Arthur Pell, of New York,
Medical Director of the Equitable
Assurance Society, was in the city
yesterday.

CASE REVERSED.

Higher Court Says Plaintiff
Is Entitled to Recover.

The judgment of the Hickman
Circuit Court in a case of Mollie
Thomas against the Western Union
Telegraph Company was reversed by
the court. Judge Judd delivered
the opinion, and Judges Barker and
Settle dissent. The appellant is
seeking to recover \$1,000 for the
failure of appellee company to
promptly deliver a telegram notifi-
ng her of the death of her father in
Missouri. The court below gave
peremptory instructions for defend-
ant. The Court of Appeals says
she is entitled to recover damages.

Hay's Failing Health.

The conviction prevails in Cabinet
circles that Secretary of War Hay
will never resume his duties, but
will retire to private life. His suc-
cessor is likely to be Secretary of
War Taft, who also said to be
President Roosevelt's choice for the
Republican presidential nomination
in 1908.

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Barred Rocks, Ringlet strain Tan-
ner cross. White Rocks, Fishel
strain. First class in every respect.
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Cumb. 94, or inquire at Kentuckian
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rights will be a demand to eat with
the family?

Cook—No, mum. If I did that I
wouldn't always be sure of getting
the best of everything.—Chicago
Journal.

Holding Hands.

Mr. Hly—Do you believe in palm-
istry?

Miss Sly—Only on summer even-
ings, when there's nothing else to
do.—Detroit Free Press.

Act directly on the liver.
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tleman says:

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timonials as to the efficacy of Peru-na in the treatment of the numerous
symptoms of the grippe with which I have been afflicted for four months
past, I have been induced to undergo a treatment with this highly cele-
brated formula. I feel a decided change for the better after using it only
one week. It is especially good in toning up the stomach and has had a
decided effect upon my appetite. I therefore feel much encouraged that I
am on the road to complete restoration."

"My numerous friends in Texas, where I have had the honor to com-
mand a brigade of our Veterans' Cavalry in a four years' war, may accept
this voluntary testimonial to the merits of Peru-na as a source of obligation
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Capt. White's Will.

The will of Capt. S. R. White, de-
ceased, has been probated. He left
all of his large estate to his wife,
Mrs. R. A. White, during her life.
At her death the property goes to
their children. Mrs. White was
named in the instrument as execu-
trix, without bond and she has
qualified.



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In 1842, four leaders of a body known as the True Inspirationists set sail for America, to seek a site for a city which was to be the home of these people, a place where they could practice their beliefs and be free from the prosecution which their convictions forced them to undergo in Germany. The leaders, who in America, became the victims of land sharks, and purchased a tract near Buffalo, where their followers settled the next year. Thenceforth, as the settlement was then known, was for the decade spent on the spot, harassed on one side by Indians and on the other by the white land sharks.

Such conditions were not conducive to communistic life, and again the trusted four were sent to seek another home for the Inspirationists. This time, it was specified, the site must be on the further bank of the Mississippi, and, with wisdom born of ten years' experience in the New York settlement, the communists decided upon the site after the Iowa river in the northwestern part of Iowa county, Iowa, and in the course of a year the entire settlement had moved their belongings to the site. The town was called Amama, meaning "remain true," and, despite the oft-proven truth of the assertion that there is little in a name, it seems that property and happiness has been the lot of these humble Germans.

Communism has a history which is a formidable rival of that of the Puritans. There have been many attempts to establish towns exclusively for these people, and as the principles of their belief are each man equal rights, and as there has been, almost without exception, some ambitious person seeking to obtain more than his share of control, the settlements have nearly always been failures.

With Amama it has been very different. The leading lights who headed the movement were C. W. Wenzel, John Bern, Jacob Wintner and Friedrich Heinemann, and these men always had the best interests of their sect at heart. Since 1845, when the settlement was established, the number of persons ad-



MEETING HOUSE IN AMAMA.

hering to the sect has jumped from 500 to 1,500, and the towns have increased from the single little village of Amama to seven prosperous cities. At present there are West Amama, South Amama, High Amama, East Amama, Homestead, Middle Amama and the original village. When the settlement was first made, 18,000 acres were purchased by the society, and now it is recorded that the organization owns 20,000 acres. Every property is declared to be of considerable value.

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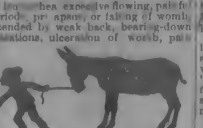
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The doll was the torso of a broken chair. In a single garment dressed. In Gretchen's hair I was fair to see. And she hugged it to her breast.

Her daily portion of twenty food To Gretchen was a feast. She played that the time was turkey and And then other things at least.

Dear grandmother was a fairy witch, A magic wand her name. Which conjured forth the wonderful things That a palace should contain.

Karl and Wilhelm and Franz were kings, With paper crowns on their hair— So Gretchen played and Gretchen dreamed, And to her the world was fair.

—Washington Star.

The Witch's Hour

By ALDIS DUNBAR

"Do you want to be court poet?" remarked the witch. "I thought you had settled down to farming."

"Not all the way down, godmother," protested the poet, whose name was Dilatorio. "Only on every-day."

"Meaning the kind that aren't holidays, I suppose," snapped the witch, clicking her knitting needles. "I have no other kind in my business. Why do you come to me? I'm no judge of poetry."

"Well, you see, godmother," began Dilatorio, somewhat uneasily. "The appointment will be given to the man who writes the best ode for the coming marriage of the Princess Melisette. I hadn't had time to go to market for two weeks. I found you by accident that the apples in the cellar were spoiling, and I had to pick them over. That's why I didn't happen to hear about the competition until yesterday. If I had only known before it would be over in two days, but there—"

"Aren't any holidays in between?" finished up the witch, who had a terrible way of knowing what you were going to say and of ending up your sentences for you when she couldn't really be bothered with you any longer.

"That's exactly it," replied Dilatorio. "I have a splendid idea for the ode, but somehow I've not been able to find time to write it down. The early peas, you know, and the asparagus, and the lunch-time, and dinner-time, and people talking to me over the fence—"

"Why don't you build the fence higher so they can't bother you?" asked the witch, leaning her sharp little chin on her withered little hand.

"I will when I have a little more leisure," answered the poet, uncomfortably. "But about this ode. If you have any time on hand that you aren't intending to use right away and would let me borrow it I'm sure I could get the appointment. Then I would have my magnificent apartment in the palace and the fence wouldn't matter."

"Well," mused the witch, who had a soft spot in her queer heart for her godson. "You could hardly do worse at court than you do at farming. I have a few extra hours in my strong closet there. I've been saving them carefully. Hours are precious, Dilatorio."

"Oh, one would be more than enough," returned the poet, eagerly. "The idea is all ready to be written on a beautiful sheet of pink embossed paper with gold edging, that is in the top drawer of my desk."

"Wait here," ordered the witch. "I must fly up into the tower where I keep my account books, and see what I can let you have."

Catching up her broomstick, which stood leaning against the wall, she disappeared—leaving Dilatorio in her care. As he stood wondering his eye fell on the strong closet in a corner, and he went cautiously toward it and laid his hand on the key. To his surprise the door swung open at a touch so that he could look in. It was lined with polished silver, but inside was nothing more than a few old nets, hanging from a row of silver pegs.

"So spare hours look like that!" said the poet. "Who would have thought it?" Then he closed the door in a hurry, for he heard the swish of broom straw.

"I find that I can't spare but one hour," frowned the witch, dropping through the roof on her stick, still knitting. "I don't often waste time, and I know perfectly well that this will be thrown away, but just for once I'll give you an hour outright, that is, all of it that you don't spend on the road going home."

"I can be at my desk in five minutes," protested the poet.

"Very well. If your ode is already composed, that should leave you time enough to write it down. But go straight to your door four minutes, without letting anyone suspect that you have time to spare."

At that, she opened the door of the strong closet and took down one of the nets. Dilatorio started, for instead of being empty, it was filled with little moving bright things that shone and glistened until his eyes were quite dazzled.

"What are those, godmother?" he asked.

"Nicks," she answered, very crossly, twisting the top of the net into a rope. "Nicks!" said Dilatorio.

"Of time, stupid! Here, along this over your shoulder and be off!" and before the poor, bewildered poet could

back, she had slammed the door.

Taken quite aback, he stood gazing at it helplessly until, hearing a funny little "Pit!" in the air over his head, he looked up. There, floating away, went something bright, like a golden feather. "Pit!" and there went another. Then he suddenly knew that these were escaping from the net on his back, and he started off down the road toward his farm.

"Ho, there, poet!" called a familiar voice, as he came in a field where two men were hoeing. "Whether so fast! Wait and see what I have to show thee!"

"Not now!" Dilatorio shook his head. "I cannot stop. I must hasten home to my desk."

"You can spare a little time to good fellowship, I had not thought you crusty. The desk may surely wait," laughed his neighbor. "Come, you are learned in deep matters. Name or me this rare coin that I plowed up yesterday. My dam told me to ask you."

"Ah, well, bring it here. I may just glance at it," and he paused.

"Pit!" But the loud voice of the farmer who was not a poet, kept the poet who was not much of a farmer from noticing that his burden was growing less.

With "I must be going," Dilatorio went off at last, saving over the opening lines of his ode.

"Oh, Master Dilatorio!" cried a village maid, running after him with bright curls flying. "Will you not write me a birthday verse to go with my gift for Dick? He's a rare good fellow, my Dick. He's helped me to pull your cart from the mud-hole where you had driven it, last market day."

"I mind me. I was planning a round."



ALACK! IT FELL TO THE FLOOR A MASS OF DULL BROWN CORDS.

"del," asserted Dilatorio. "I would do much for a lass fair as you are, and my Dick? 'Twas he that helped me. I am at court, I shall bear you both in mind. What shall the verse tell him?"

"Why, truly, that," she stood with pretty head bent. "That—Oh, Master Dilatorio, what be all these gay birds flying from your net?"

The poor poet gave a leap and ran without stopping all the way to his gate. But when he would have opened the house door the key was missing, and all searching in pouch and pocket was to no avail. Finally he found it lying in the path outside the gate. With all speed he threw open the door and ran in, swinging the net from his shoulder as he did so. Alack, it fell to the floor, a mass of dull brown cords, with but one bright spot within the tangle!

Even as he stood panting, there was a loud "pit!" and the one remaining little "nick" had flown out at the hole in the mosquito netting.

"But the hour—the hour is still missing!" gasped the unhappy Dilatorio, bending to pick up his godmother's gift. It vanished from between his hands, leaving him with naught but a slip of paper that seemed to have been inside. Turning it over he read:

"This hour's a net, the size to hold Just sixty nicks of time within it. Unless as they come, the gold: Let slip, none can regain a minute."

"No," remarked the poet, at the next market but one. "I could easily have written a better ode than that which took the prize, but busy farmers, like ourselves, you understand, have not the time to spare."—N. O. Times-Democrat.

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HEARD PLOT.

Witnesses Swears Murder Was Planned.

Lexington, Ky., March 20.—A sensation was created today in the hearing on an application for bail for James, Alex and Elbert Hargis and Ed Callahan, when Mose Feltner testified that prior to the death of Cockrell, Alex and James Hargis, Callahan and Feltner had, in Hargis' store, discussed whether Marcum or Cockrell should be killed first. Shortly afterwards, he said, Cockrell was killed. He said he was at the time acting in bad faith with the Hargises and had told Marcum and Cockrell of the plot in the hope of saving their lives.

Although the present hearing is only on a motion for bail for Senator Hargis, Judge Hargis, their nephew Elbert, and Ed Callahan, who are held on a charge of murder, the excitement was intense, the courthouse and surrounding streets being crowded with people, many of whom came in from other cities and counties. The hearing will probably consume several days.

Anse White, brother of Tom White, convicted of the murder of James B. Marcum, is said to be on his way to Lexington to testify in the cases of the Arglesses and Callahan, and that he will reveal the plot to kill Jim Cockrell. It is claimed he was in the conspiracy. Mrs. Sarah Fitzpatrick, a sister of Marcum, testified Tuesday that she heard Senator Alex Hargis say after the killing of Cockrell that he was a friend of the murderer and would defend him if any arrests were made. She said the Senator also remarked that Cockrell was a scoundrel and should have been killed.

State Fair.

The Kentucky State Fair will be held September 15-23, inclusive, either in Louisville or Lexington. The Kentucky Live Stock Breeders' Association has addressed letters to the commercial organizations of the two cities asking them to offer advantages for the exhibition.

Well Known Merchant Dead.

Elkton, Ky., March 20.—E. Garth, a well-known merchant of this city, died after an illness of a few hours. He was seventy-five years of age and was a merchant in this city for forty-seven years. He is survived by a widow and three children.

Chat off the Bat.

There is still doubt about the guarantee fund for the Hopkinsville Baseball Association. The meeting Monday night disclosed the fact that about \$550 of the \$1,200 asked for has been subscribed. The canvass was unfinished, and practically all of this week will be taken up in making the strongest possible effort to raise the money. The committee is a little hopeful of success, but not before next week will it be definitely known what will be done.

In the meantime President Hancock is making contracts with some good players. If the franchise is sold, the players will be in shape to be sold with the franchise. Harry Meyer, first base, and Robt. Barlow, center-fielder, of the last season's team, have signed contracts.

Charlie Bomar, pitcher, has promised to report when ordered.

Jess Moore, infielder, who was sold, has not been called for and will return here in all probability.

Jack Kiler, right-fielder, of Evansville; Ben Wildermood, outfielder, from Newport, Ind., and M. B. Collins, pitcher, from Columbia, Tenn., are three new men to be given a trial.

"Foxy" Morris is now in Evansville working at his trade of carpenter. Brady, the left-fielder, is also in Evansville. Both are subject to orders.

With the 17 men carried over from last season and the new ones being signed, the Association will have about two dozen to select a crack team from and there will be no scrambling for the tail end this time. If the people of Hopkinsville come to time as they should, we shall see a team that the whole city will be proud of.

Manager Kolb, of the Vincennes team, has announced his line-up for the season. The following players have been ordered to report: Pitchers, Duffy and Quan, of the Eastern League; Nonemaker, with Dayton last season; Frye, with Marion, Ind., in 1904; Duggan, from the Cedar Rapids team, and a youngster of the name of Lord from Little Rock, Ark.; catchers, Lemon and Hugg; first base, Wilkinson, late of Kansas City and Marion (Ind.) teams; Bierkorte, second base; Barbour, of Ashenbach's Charleston team of last season, or Schmeltz, shortstop; Young, of Cincinnati, third base. In the outfield, Kolb will again play right; with Cooper in left and Donovan, who was with the Toledo club for awhile last year, or Hahn, in center. Five Cincinnati boys are in the line-up.

The manager has ordered his men to report on April 8, and after a few days training they will put up against some teams of the American Association and Central League. President C. C. Connel, of the club, has booked Toledo, Indianapolis, Evansville, Terre Haute, Washington, Ind., (independent team, which defeated the Reds last season), and several other nearby clubs to appear on the Vincennes diamond during April.

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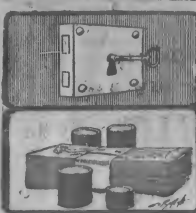


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